

KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET RELEASE

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High water prompts dozens of road closures in Kentucky

Motorists advised to keep travel to minimum, never venture into flood waters

FRANKFORT, Ky. (May 2, 2010) - Flash flooding has forced closure of dozens of roadways over western and central Kentucky today.

Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) crews have worked throughout the day to place warning signs, closure notices, barricades and other emergency traffic control devices in affected areas.

Some of the major routes impacted include the Bert T. Combs Mountain Parkway, closed in both directions from Interstate 64 to Stanton, and I-65, threatened by high water at the Nolin River Bridge in Hardin County.

The KYTC Transportation Operations Center, which is staffed around the clock, has increased staffing during the flood event. Highway conditions can be checked online at www.511.ky.gov.

"We advise everyone in counties experiencing flooding to stay home unless it is an emergency and to exercise extreme caution if driving is absolutely necessary," said Acting Transportation Secretary Mike Hancock. "It is critical to remember that you should never drive into high water. Rushing water can sweep vehicles away."

Highway District summaries as of 5:45 p.m. EDT

DISTRICT: 1

Flooding:

HICKMAN
GRAVES
TRIGG
MCCRACKEN
CARLISLE

DISTRICT: 2

COUNTY

ROADS CLOSED

ROADS OPEN

DUE TO HIGHWATER

BUT WITH HIGHWATER

Caldwell

KY 128 MP 006-007

KY 139 MP 014-015

Christian

KY 345	MP 000-001
US 41	MP 002-003
KY 1338	MP 003-004
US 41	MP 028-030
KY 115	MP 010-011
KY 189	MP 013-014 Closed due
KY 115	MP 016-017
	to slide.
KY 109	MP 008-009
KY 109	MP 010-011
KY 287	MP 003-004
KY 407	MP 002-003
KY 1348	MP 000-001

Daviess

KY 142	MP 004-005
KY 2127	MP 000-001

KY 298	MP 002-003
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KY 762	MP 000-001
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Hancock

KY 271	MP 003-004
US 60	MP 008-009

KY 1265	MP 004-005
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KY 2181	MP 002-011
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Henderson

KY 812 MP 002-004

KY 1557 MP 002-003

KY 2247 MP 000-001

Hopkins

US 62 MP 016-018

9004 Exit 30 Off Ramp

US 41 MP 016-017

US 41 MP 000-001

KY 70 MP 011-013

US 41A MP 004-005

KY 70 MP 013-014

KY 70 MP 019-020

KY 1069 MP 000-001

KY 70 MP 023-024

KY 2340 MP 000-001

KY 109 MP 006-008

KY 109	MP 013-014
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KY 254	MP 001-003
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KY 262	MP 000-001
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KY 281	MP 002-003
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KY 502	MP 003-004
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KY 502	MP 001-003
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KY 813	MP 010-013
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KY 892	MP 005-006
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KY 1033	MP 001-002
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KY 1034	MP 007-009
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KY 1337 MP 004-005

KY 2647 MP 000-001

McLean

KY 140 MP 009-010

KY 1046 MP 005-006

KY 2110 MP 000-001

Muhlenberg

KY 176 MP 004-005

US 431 MP 010-011

KY 70 MP 001-002

KY 181 MP 012-013

KY 1163 MP 003-005

KY 2270 MP 004-005

KY 2270 MP 006-010

KY 2590 MP 002-003

Ohio

US 62 MP 004-006

US 62 MP 008-009

US 62 MP 015-016

US 62 MP 017-018

KY 54 MP 002-003

KY 69 MP 017-018

KY 764 MP 006-007

KY 919 MP 003-004

KY 1245 MP 004-005

KY 1700 MP 000-001

KY 2670 MP 002-003

KY 2718 MP 004-005

Webster

KY 138 MP 010-011

DISTRICT: 3

Flooding:

MONROE
ALLEN
SIMPSON
METCALFE
EDMONSON
BARREN
BUTLER
WARREN
LOGAN
TODD

Comments: Allen County: KY 100 is closed in multiple locations between mile marker 0 and 9.

KY 1578 is closed.

Barren County: KY 63 is closed.

KY 2131 is closed.

KY 70 is closed.

KY 297 is closed.

KY 314 is closed.

KY 2189 is closed.

KY 740 is closed.

KY 252 is closed.

Butler: KY 1153 (Dallam Creek Bridge Road) is closed between mile markers 4-6.

KY 403 (Woodbury Road) is closed between mile markers 4-5.

**At least 2 more roads will likely be closed due to backwater from Green River.

Edmonson: KY 655 (Segal Road) is closed between mile markers 4-5.

KY 238 (Sunfish Bee Spring Road) is closed at mile markers 8-10.

KY 70 is closed.

KY 187 is closed near the Sunfish Community.

KY 238 is closed near mile point 9.

KY 655 is closed between mile markers 4-5..

Logan: KY 107 (Deerlick Road) is closed between mile markers 4-5.

KY 3201 (Cooperstown-Quality Road) is closed between mile markers 0-1.

KY 1153 (Beechland Road) is closed between mile markers 4-5.

KY 1151 (Gordonsville Road) is closed between mile markers 6-7.

KY 96 between the 7-8.

KY 1041 between the 6-10.

KY 765 between the 1-3.

KY 1308 between the 0-2.

KY 664 between the 0-3.

KY 663 between the 0-7.

KY 106 between the 8-10.

Monroe: Ky.678 mp.8.6and mp.21.5

Ky.100mp.17and mp.1

Ky.87mp.11.6and mp.13.5and mp.1.8

Ky.2452mp.1.6and mp.2.4

Ky.2441mp1

Ky.63mp.13.2and mp.11.1

Ky.2768mp.1

Ky.839mp.8.1

Ky.1366 mp.7and mp.5.3

FERRY (Turkey Neck Bend) is still closed EMERGENCY vehicles only

Metcalfe: US 68 is closed.

KY 640 is closed.

KY 496 is closed.

KY 80 is closed.

Simpson: KY 383 (Springfield Road) is closed between mile markers 4-6.

KY 585 is closed.

KY 1170 is closed.

US 31W near KY 1008 on the north side of Franklin is closed.

Todd: US 41 between mile markers 0-1.

KY 2628 is closed between mile markers 0-1.

Warren: KY 626 (Jackson Bridge Road) is closed between mile markers 3-4.

US 231 N between mile markers 21 and 22

KY 1435 between 9-12

KY 1083 between 5-6

KY 2165 between 5-6

KY 526 between 4-5

KY 884 between 7-8

KY 626 between 3-4

DISTRICT: 4

Flooding:

BRECKINRIDGE
GREEN
HARDIN
GRAYSON

HART

Comments: I-65 in Hardin County at Mile Point 83.2 North Bound has water next to travel way on shoulder.

Roads closed in District 4

Breckinridge County

KY 333 between the 15-16 mile point.

KY 690 between the 16-17 mile point.

Ky 2199 between the 1-2 mile point.

Ky 2779 between the 3-4 mile point.

KY 261 between the 15-16 mile point.

Grayson County

KY 185 between the 0-1 mile point.

KY 878 between the 2-3 mile point.

KY 224 between the

US 62 between the 7-8 mile point.

Meade County

KY 823 between the 0-1 mile point.

KY 261 between the 0-1 mile point.

Hardin County

Ky 210 between the 0-2 mile point.

KY 84 between the 23-24 mile point.

US 31W between the 5-6 mile point.

US 62 between the 1-2 mile point.

Hart County

Ky 335 between the 2-3 mile point.

KY 728 between the 19-20 mile point.

US 31W in Bonnieville, between the 18-19 mile point.

Green County

KY 1913 between the 3-4 mile point.

KY 729 between the 2-3 mile point.

KY 61 between the 1-2 mile point

DISTRICT: 5

Flooding:

BULLITT
SHELBY
SPENCER

DISTRICT: 7

Flooding:

SCOTT

DISTRICT: 8

Flooding:

CASEY
CUMBERLAND
ADAIR

DISTRICT: 9

Flooding:

LEWIS

Comments: Rowan county KY 519 is closed at mp 9.7 at jct US 60

Ky 324 between 9 - 10 M.P. in Mason Co. currently is the only route in Mason, Fleming or Nicholas Counties that is under water. I will update when it recedes.

Ky 801 in Rowan County at MP 5 at Cave Run Lake is closed due to a mud slide.
It will remain closed overnight and crews will begin debris removal Monday.

DISTRICT: 10

Flooding:

POWELL

The Mountain Parkway has been closed from I-64 @ Mile Point 0 to Mile Point 22 in Powell County. Water is over the road @ Mile Point 16.